

February 26, 2014

To: Public Service Board Members
From: Nancy Fried
Newark, Vermont
Re: Docket 8167

Dear Public Service Board Members,

First I would like to mention that I, along with the majority of citizens from the Town of Newark, am extremely grateful that you have decided to investigate further into the issues of noise caused by Industrial Wind Turbines and its impacts on the lives of citizens living nearby. I also agree that the non-contested format provides the best opportunity for public participation and avoids the prohibitive legal costs of a hearing. The Town of Newark has already spent over \$100,000 in its fight against the Seneca Mt. Wind Project and really has limited resources.

I think that all 12 of the questions you proposed should be addressed in various workshops. I definitely feel that one of the workshops should be dedicated to hearing from individuals who live near existing energy projects and give them a chance to describe their experiences and concerns. It would also be important to hear from the physicians who are treating them for wind turbine syndrome. I also feel it is important to visit their homes to see what they are facing daily. I know after a visit that I could never live there. Their quality of life has been destroyed.

Sincerely,

Nancy Fried
Newark, Vt.